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**Sir:**

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**For: FACILITATING INTERNATIONAL CUSTOMS PLANNING AND  
CLEARANCE WITH RESPECT TO CUSTOMS CLEARANCE**

ASSIGNEE NAME: INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION

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X 20 Pages of Specification including an Abstract

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## CLAIMS AS FILED

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